

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 28, 2010

Darren D. Smith, Treasurer
Operating Engineers Local # 649 Political
Action Committee
6408 W. Plank Rd.
Peoria, IL 61604

Response Due Date: June 2, 2010

Identification Number: C00225573

Reference: Mid Year Report (1/1/09 - 6/30/09), Year End Report (7/1/09 - 6/30/09)

12/31/09), and April Quarterly Report (1/1/10 – 3/31/10)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following item:

-Schedule B supporting Line 22 of your reports disclose a transfer to your committee "Operating Engineers Local # 649 Political Action Committee"; however, you have also disclosed "Engineers Political Education Committee (EPEC)/International Union of Operating Engineers" for this transaction. If you made a transfer directly to the "Engineers Political Education Committee (EPEC)/International Union of Operating Engineers," then you should disclose that committee's name and address on Schedule B supporting Line 22 rather than your own. Please amend your report to clarify the ultimate recipient of this contribution(s).

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.